

General Assembly

Committee Bill No. 825

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Referred to Committee on Transportation

Introduced by: (TRA)

AN ACT AMENDING STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION CERTIFICATE OF OPERATION THRESHOLDS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 14-311 of the general statutes is
- 2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective
- 3 October 1, 2011):
- 4 (a) No person, firm, corporation, state agency, or municipal agency
- 5 or combination thereof shall build, expand, establish or operate any
- 6 open air theater, shopping center or other development generating
- 7 large volumes of traffic, having an exit or entrance on, or abutting or
- 8 adjoining, any state highway or substantially affecting state highway
- 9 traffic within this state until such person or agency has procured from
- 10 the State Traffic Commission a certificate that the operation thereof
- 11 will not imperil the safety of the public, except that: (1) Any
- 12 <u>development that contains one hundred or fewer residential units shall</u>
- 13 not be required to obtain such a certificate if such development is a
- 14 <u>residential-only development and not part of a mixed-use</u>
- 15 <u>development containing office, retail or other such nonresidential uses,</u>
- 16 and (2) any development that contains seventy-five or fewer

- 17 residential units and has an associated club house or similar amenity
- 18 that is open to the public shall not be required to obtain such a
- 19 certificate.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	October 1, 2011	14-311(a)

Statement of Purpose:

To create a more reasonable threshold for residential and commercial developments required to obtain a certificate of operation, in order to promote permit streamlining, housing production, economic development and job growth.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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